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In re Patent Application of)	MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Barbro Moberg-Alehammar et al.	Group Art Unit: 3761
Application No.: 10/788,446)	Examiner: MICHELE M. KIDWELL
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For: ABSORBENT ARTICLE WITH () IMPROVED SURFACE MATERIAL ()	

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated January 29, 2007, having a three-month shortened statutory response period in which this Amendment is being timely filed, please amend the above identified application as follows: